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Suspect Boys of Threats

Phoned to London Police
LONDON — Scotland Yard theorized that either a dangerous maniac or a group of irresponsible boys were telephoning anonymous warnings that various key buildings in London would be blown up. In four days 21 such calls have been received, but there was no report of terrorist violence.

Hand Without a Body Nabs Girls in Night

Mysterious Events Are Puzzle to Men of Science.

LANGLEY, ENGLAND. — One night last April an 18-year-old girl named June Buckland awoke, she said, to find a tall, misty figure standing by her bed. She thought it strange, but being a reserved girl, she didn't mention it to her family. Even so, the family soon got the idea there was something unusual about the 300-year-old house into which they had just moved. Strange knockings were heard. Strange moanings and creakings came out of nowhere.

Then one night last winter, June's brother, Jackie, 5, fell sick in the night. Their mother, Mrs. Buckland, went to attend him. A hand gripped her wrist—and, she said with a worried frown between her eyes, there was no body attached to the hand. "Two days later," Mrs. Buckland said, "I awoke and there was a misty figure standing by the fire place. I put my hand under the table clothes, but felt I just had to look again. The figure was still there." That's the way things have been even since in the troubled household of the Bucklands in this dreary village near London.

Something pulls the bedclothes off sleeping members of the family. Doors open and footsteps are heard—but nobody comes in. Edna Shetlock, 10, who lives under the table clothes, found herself sneezing under the bed one night. She didn't know who she got them.

The British Society for Psychic Research said it planned to send a man around.

Relates How He Survived Being Beheaded by Japs

TOKYO — An Australian soldier told the war crimes court that he had lived through a Japanese officer's attempt to behead him and eventually had crawled to safety after recovering consciousness buried in a shallow grave.

The soldier, Colin Fleming Brien, 25, was ordered to sit down with his feet and legs in the grave, his wrists were tied behind his back, and a towel was laid over his eyes. The officer, sword in hand, loosened Brien's shirt collar and bent his head forward.

"After a few seconds I felt a heavy, dull blow on the back of my neck," he continued. "I fell over my side, then lost consciousness. When I regained consciousness, I was lying at the bottom of the grave underneath some wooden planks and clouds of earth. I had a large wound in the back of my neck. I managed to crawl out and staggered into the jungle grass, where I lay all day."

After three days he reached Singapore.

Belt Saves Woman Hanging From 11th Floor Hotel Ledger

PHILADELPHIA — A thin, 35-year-old blonde from possible death as she hung precariously from an 11th-floor ledge of the fashionable Drake hotel.

The woman, who identified herself as Mrs. Helena Hall of Philadelphia, was rescued 15 minutes after she plunged through a closed window. The belt caught on a hook and held her suspended in mid-air, head downward. Three men pulled her to safety.

Police said the woman told them she was trying to throw a glass of water through the window which she thought was open. She lost her balance and fell.

Thieves Get \$500,000 Cash

And Gems in French Hotel
MAISON-LAFFITE, FRANCE. — French police said that \$500,000 in American currency and jewelry worth another \$300,000 were stolen from Mrs. Lucienne Denier-Resach, wife of a Puerto Rican industrialist.

The police said that burglars broke into the woman's room at a hotel in this resort town while she was at dinner and stole a casket containing the banknotes, platinum bracelets, a five-row pearl necklace and clips.

Auto Driver Forgets His Wife

And Sets Off Police Alarm
BEDFORD, PA. — "Calling all cars and stations" alarm went out over the state police radio system to watch for a motorist speeding eastward by troopers. The tourist was surprised to hear that he had "forgotten" his wife in Bedford, 30 miles back. Sheepishly he turned his car and started back to get his wife and probably any married man knows an ear-baiting.

Bethany

Bethany, March 18. — Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paulette, Mrs. Jack Moseley and daughter, Sue, Burke, and James Paulette visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette on Monday night.

The Bethany Home Demonstration Club met last Monday with Mrs. Joe Paulette, with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore, of Madisonville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Allen, of Alexandria spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette and Mrs. Katie Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Harris visited Mrs. Corinne Paulette Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Corinne Paulette and Gene Paulette visited Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Katie Allen is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Allen at Alexandria this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Paulette and daughter, Bonnie Paulette, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morris, of Madisonville.

Robert Harvey spent Sunday night with Dorothy Ann Paulette.

Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE



If you get a sudden call for a "date" you want to look your prettiest! But—there's that ugly little bump! Just cover it with a tiny dab of black "beauty spot." The beauties of long ago wore beauty spots to make a simple but you can use them as cover-ups!

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County Budget Is Ready For Consideration

By The Editor

A proposed budget for Appomattox County for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948, is published in today's issue and the Board of Supervisors will have a hearing on the budget at the court house on April 9, at 10 A. M.

The budget provides funds for county health unit, and increased school allocations.

FIRE ALARM MONDAY

A fire alarm was sounded here at noon Monday, when a motor in a refrigerator at a home of Mrs. J. E. Sears began to burn.

ROCKS NEWS

Rock, March 24. — Robert Roach, a call and some boys to Lynchburg last Monday for Wiley Ransom, also a call for S. C. Ransom.

Rev. C. G. Carter was visiting in the community Tuesday afternoon.

Abney Ransom and Buddy Jennings were hauling some logs to H. W. Ransom's saw mill Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roach and children attended the funeral of Mrs. J. E. Ransom Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge, Mrs. J. E. Ransom and Mrs. J. E. Ransom, Jr. were at the home of Mrs. J. E. Ransom, Jr. on Wednesday.

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